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SUBJ: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AVAILABLE TO AMERICANS ARRESTED ABROAD

REF: STATE 147704

1. "PUBLIC DEFENDERS" AS SUCH DO NOT EXIST IN THE SEVERAL JURISDICTIONS OF THIS CONSULAR DISTRICT. GENERALLY SPEAKING THE ACCUSED IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PAYMENT OF HIS OWN LEGAL REPRESENTATION. IN SOME OF THE ISLANDS, NOTABLY BARBADOS AND TO A LESSER DEGREE GRENADA, THE COURT MAY APPOINT LEGAL COUNSEL FOR A PERSON UNABLE TO PAY FOR HIS OWN DEFENSE IN SERIOUS CRIMINAL CASES SUCH AS MURDER, RAPE ETC. IN OTHER ISLANDS, LEGAL COUNSEL MAY NOT BE APPOINTED FOR EVEN THE MOST SERIOUS OF CRIMES.

2. THE ABOVE INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED FROM PROMINENT BARBADOS ATTORNEY WHO IS AWARE OF SITUATION IN THE OTHER ISLANDS OF THE DISTRICT.
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